To Whom It May Concern:

I have invested around \$20,000 to install a wood burning Furnace. Between the cost of the boiler, backhoe work, piping, installation in my 1730's salt-box colonial, and the cost of the coils for my 2 oil burning furnaces, manifolds (2), gauges, valves, indoor tubing etc. Just for the parts the cost was around \$3,600, not to mention the more then \$8,000 the wood boiler cost. The cement pad with labor cost and cement delivery by the truck was around \$1,500. The backhoe work with two laborers came to around \$5,000. I still have to pay a plumber to hook the two coils on top the two boilers. Also, I have to still pay for the in-house installation of all the parts.

I still have yet to fire the furnace. I'm still trying to afford to finish this project I pay around \$1,200+ for my taxes on my property, all I wanted to do was to save money.

Now you want me to throw all this in the dumpster!?

I'm surrounded by 300 acres and have 15 acres of land to myself. The town of Willington gives me nothing for my well over \$1,200 in taxes. No lights, instead of the roads they spread oil & stone on the road on the road that deteriorates in less then six months. I have collector cars that are spotless and I can't drive these cars for a month and a half after they recoat the road.

Sorry, I had to get that out.

In closing, please take into consideration what I have told you. You would be, in the snap of a finger, putting people out of business. Taking their hard earned money & labor, and turning it into BALASTS for the QE2

Thank you, Bruce Ceramicole 70 Polster Rd. Willington, CT

P.S. I have the proper Permit from the town of Willington.